John E. Stork

Experience Summary

John Stork is a Consulting Enterprise Architect for EDS in Troy, Michigan. His career with EDS has spanned over 18 years in positions of technical leadership and management. He has an established a history of resolving problems and working with customers at the highest levels to analyze their needs and apply creative solutions.

Contributing solutions that work

Currently, John works as a Consulting Enterprise Architect for the Microsoft Solutions Consulting Practice. He was one of the leaders in creating the methodology for Microsoft Consulting. His current engagement is in the role of Active Directory Architect for General Motors Corporation, where he has overseen a redesign of Microsoft Active Directory encompassing all of General Motors. This design will allow the implementation to scale up to GM's size, including eleven corporate domains and over 450 sites worldwide.

In a recent project for the Orange County Register, John served as architect and technical lead for a project involving the complete reengineering of the Orange County Register newspaper. He replaced the retail order entry, classified order entry, classified pagination, layout, ad production, and editorial systems. He also implemented new groupware (Lotus Notes), sales force automation, output management, enterprise systems management, and electronic pagination systems. John was involved in every stage of the project, from getting capital approval from the Board of Directors through planning, vendor selection, development and implementation.

On an assignment with Dow Jones & Co., John served as architect and SE Manager for a multimillion dollar project replacing aging editorial systems for The Wall Street Journal. He supervised over 100 people in integration of vendor products, implementation of network and server infrastructure in 30 countries, and development of a major application using object-oriented design and development techniques. John was also the technical lead during the 2½ year sales cycle, winning the EDS Proposal of the Year award. In addition, he supervised development of the systems supporting The Wall Street Journal Interactive web site.

Proficiencies and expertise:

- Active Directory architecture and design
- Microsoft certified
- Multi-platform experience (Windows 2000, NT, Unix, AS/400, and others)
- Experienced in projects involving business process transformation
- Development and adaptation of structured methodologies
- Technical leadership, project leadership, and people leadership